

Update 11/20/15: The contractor will be installing water services on Lincoln Street and connecting to Garfield over the next two weeks. They will be cleaning up the area and be finished for the year by December 4th. They will not be working on Thanksgiving or the following day.

Update 11/17/15: The connection to the existing water main on Front Street will be installed on Thursday, November 19th. The water on Front Street between Tan Lane to Lincoln Street will be shut off around 9 am and is expected to be back on by 3 pm the same day. Notices (below) are being hand-delivered to all of those properties affected by this work.

Update 11/16/15: The new water mains were pressure tested and disinfected last week. The contractor will be back on Tuesday (11/17/15) to complete the work in Front St. They will begin connecting services to the new main later in the week. Residents will be notified the day before their service will be connected which typically requires the water service to be off for a few hours. (A notice has already been given to the first group of residents whose services will be done in the next couple weeks.) We anticipate that the contractor will continue working through the first week of December if the weather cooperates. There will be another public meeting in the spring to discuss the remaining work on Lincoln St and Winter St, which will begin in April. The meeting announcement will be sent to all of the abutters, along with being emailed and posted in the usual places.

Update 11/6/15: A water shut down is planned for Monday, November 9th to connect to the existing water mains on Pine St and Linden St. Properties on Pine St, and portions of Linden and Court Streets will be affected. The announcement (attached below) has the full list of properties. The Tuck building (old high school) will be affected also, but school will remain open. The SST and other properties on Linden St, south of Gill St, will not be affected by this shut down. The roads will be open to one-way, alternating traffic. It is a busy intersection, so please drive carefully.

Update 11/3/15: The water main installation on Lincoln St will be wrapping up for the season on Wednesday, November 4th. They will be sawcutting the pavement on Front St on Wednesday and begin water main installation on Thursday. The work on Front St is expected to take about 2 weeks. Weather permitting, the contractor will return to Lincoln St to begin connecting services to the new main.

Update 10/30/15: The contractor continued to install water main on Lincoln Street to just south of Garfield Street. The trench is being paved today. We anticipate 3-4 more days on Lincoln Street, then switching to Front Street (from Lincoln St to Pine St).

Update 10/29/15: A water main break occurred on Lincoln Street this morning around 9 AM (near #12). In order to repair the service line the water service will be turned off after 3:00 this afternoon. **Update 10/28/15:** A water service was damaged during construction at approximately 11:15 AM and again at 12:50 PM. The water main on Lincoln Street has been shut down to repair the service. We anticipate the water service to Lincoln Street be restored by 2 PM today.

Update 10/27/15: An existing water service was found to be leaking while installing the new water main. To repair this service, the water main on Lincoln St will be shut down. We anticipate water service to be restored by noon today.

Update 10/23/15: We are making good progress on the water main construction on Lincoln Street. Next week (October 26-30) the contractor will continue installing pipe on Lincoln Street, heading toward Garfield Street. There are no planned water service interruptions next week. We appreciate your patience and cooperation as we complete this construction.